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Sir:

Transmitted herewith in the above-entitled patent application, please find an Amendment in response to the Official Action mailed February 13, 2002.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$87.00 to cover the fees for one (1) independent claim and five (5) additional dependent claims.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 08-1265. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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